

## BRICK MEN WAR ON BUILDING TRUST

Steel and Concrete Combine  
Is Trying to Squeeze  
Them, They Allege

That New York's great steel and concrete corporations have been combined by interests identified with J. Pierpont Morgan and Co. and Kahn, Lobk & Co. to crush the brick manufacturing industry along the Hudson River is a charge the New York Brick Company and more than a hundred other brick manufacturers have prepared for answer to the suit brought in the State courts.

Building concerns, termed the "building trust," have filed a petition for the dissolution of the brick men's organization. The defendants side of the case will be presented to Attorney-General Carmody in this city, Feb. 14. The brickmakers charge that the builders have monopolized the steel and concrete industry and Frank M. Patterson, is counsel for the brickmakers. He is also counsel for the State Superintendent of Banks.

Mr. Patterson, in his brief, points out that a brick monopoly is impossible because of the vast clay lands along the Hudson which are still untapped. He charges that the concrete combine is importing immense quantities of bricks into the New York market from New Jersey and Connecticut to paralyze the native product and disrupt the brickmakers' organization.

"The statement in their complaint to the Attorney-General that the brick manufacturers are acting with and controlling the banks and the counties along the Hudson River is silly on its face and contradicted by the facts," stated Mr. Patterson today, quoting from his brief. "Recently on account of the low price of bricks the demand for bricks has increased to such an extent that the brickmakers have been forced to foreclose their liens on brick plants, and these plants are now operated by receivers. These facts do not indicate a monopoly."

"Brick, for the last five or six months, has been selling between \$8 and \$7 a thousand, which is only a fair price and permits only a normal profit. Not long ago brick was as high as \$12 a thousand without exciting a petition to the Attorney-General. The combined wealth of these complainants indicates that they have not suffered much, so far as profit-making goes, in their business. They apparently want to live, but do not want to let live."

### REVOLVER DUEL, WITH SECONDS, IN 106TH STREET.

Duellists Stand on Opposite Curb  
and Approach Each Other Firing;  
Then All Six Walk On.

Six men stopped in One Hundred and Sixth street just east of First avenue at 8:40 o'clock last evening and talked with each other in Italian. They did not appear in the least excited. Then they separated, three going to one side of the street in front of No. 408 and the three others to the other side in front of No. 404.

One of the men on either side of the street drew a revolver and stepped to the curb. The other men, the seconds, got out of range and at a signal firing began, the men advancing on each other after every shot until the weapons were empty.

One man appeared to be limping and he believed to have been shot. The two revolvers were pocketed and the six men walked away together and disappeared in a First avenue tenement. Men were in Constantino Vito's barber shop, at No. 402, and when bullets crashed through the windows the men rolled on the floor. None was injured.

### DEATH RESTORED SIGHT.

Eight Years Blind, Man Prayed to See Family Before He Died.

MALDEN, Mass., Feb. 7.—With tears of joy streaming from eyes in which sight had been miraculously restored after eight years of blindness, Mortimer Harrington, seventy-five years old, died here last night.

For weeks during his last illness Harrington prayed continuously that he might see the members of his family once more before he died. A few hours before his death he suddenly sat up in bed and cried:

"I see! I see!"  
The family gathered around, and one by one the dying man recognized his loved ones. The respite from his blindness was brief, but Harrington died with a smile on his face.

## Bangs for Women Are Again in Vogue, With Simpler Styles of Hairdressing



Fashion is indeed favoring us as regards coiffures, for we are again permitted to hail (with no little delight) the simpler styles of hairdressing which demand the abandonment of all "rais" and artificial attachments of any kind. And not only are these new arrangements graceful and becoming, but most sensible also, for we are quite aware of the injurious effects of smearing the hair and wearing heavy rats, no matter how sanitary.

It is quite important nowadays that the ears be completely concealed, and

that the forehead show as little as possible. The hair is therefore arranged many times with bangs (as shown in the first sketch), each side being combed from a centre part, to drop low over the ears and caught at the centre back in one large puff or ponytail.

If bangs be not possible, one may part the hair in the centre front, allowing it to fall over the forehead, where a narrow bandeau holds it in place, the sides being draped into two soft coils at the back as shown in the third sketch.

For those to whom period effects are not becoming, the centre sketch shows a charming style. Combed lightly down over the forehead and ears, all the hair is brought to the top of the head, where it is caught in a fascinating loose knot. It will be observed that side combs are not in evidence in any of these hair arrangements, and, in fact, barrettes are absolutely passé.

### BRITISH CELEBRATE DICKENS CENTENARY.

Commemorative Services, Carnivals  
and Banquets Held Throughout  
the Empire.

LONDON, Feb. 7.—The centenary of the birth of Charles Dickens was celebrated throughout the United Kingdom and the British colonies by commemorative services, Dickens carnivals and festive banquets. The great novelist's grave in Westminster Abbey was lavishly decorated with flowers, including wreaths from many of the Dickens clubs of the United States. Rochester Cathedral is the special Mecca of great crowds of the author's admirers.

Red geraniums, the favorite flower of the dead author, were displayed in the buttonholes of almost every Londoner. Secretary Willson of the Centenary Committee announced today that by a gift of \$200,000 would probably have been contributed in England and America for the benefit of the five unmarried daughters of Charles Dickens Jr., who are in straitened circumstances.

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### POST ASHORE FOR ABRUZZI.

Duke to Be Taken from Command  
of Torpedo Squadron.

ROME, Feb. 7.—It is reported on good authority that Rear-Admiral Cagni is about to replace the Duke of the Abruzzi as commander of the torpedo squadron. The Duke, now a vice-admiral, will probably be appointed to command the fortress of Taranto, which is at the head of the bay in the hollow of the peninsula and commands the Mediterranean sea and therefore of importance at this juncture.

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**Women's and Misses' Whippcord Dresses, 5.95**  
(See Illustration)  
In Black and White, Navy and White and Tan and White Stripes.  
Another model is in navy and black serge—equal in style and workmanship to the one shown herewith.  
Women's sizes—34 to 44 bust.  
Misses' and Small Women's—14, 16 and 18 years.

### New Silks Post-Inventory Offerings

To-morrow's unusual reductions will prove a surprise to the thrifty. A mere desire to lower immense assortments, and not to discredit the silks themselves—they're all at the height of popularity. It's a little good fortune for you.

19-inch Fancy Taffeta Formerly up to 75c, 39c  
22-inch Figured Foulards  
23-inch Jacquard Pongees  
19-inch Checked Taffeta  
19-inch Striped Louisiane, washable  
26-inch Fancy Checks Formerly up to 89c, 49c  
24-inch Printed Foulards  
24-inch Persian Marquise  
19-inch Changeable Peas de Cygne  
24-inch Satin Messaline; street shades

### Already the Demand Is Big for New Spring Dress Goods

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WHITE & ECRU SHAD-OW ALLOVERS—for waists and gumpies; reg. 69c to \$1.50; yd., 49c to 1.25  
BANDINGS to match foregoing allover; 2 to 8 inches wide; reg. 19c to \$1.19; yd., 10c to 85c  
LINEN CLUNY INSERTIONS AND EDGES—1 to 9 inches wide; reg. 15c to 98c; yd., 10c to 75c

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